

500/EUCHRE ANYONE?

COME JOIN THE FUN of this trick-taking card game! Tournaments are held monthly and, for those new to the game, instructional classes are offered throughout the year.



DRIVER’S SAFETY PROGRAM

YOU MAY QUALIFY for an auto insurance premium discount by participating in the AARP Driver’s Safety Program, the nation’s first and largest refresher course for drivers age 50 and older. Courses are offered throughout August and September.

GET ACQUAINTED WITH CREEKSIDE

JOIN US on the first Wednesday of each month from 10 - 11 a.m., for Get Acquainted with Creekside. This program provides information about the active aging adults program and activities for persons with disabilities.



PARTY OF THE MONTH

EVERY MONTH Human Services hosts the Party of the Month – a dining experience featuring a special menu, door prizes and entertainment. Meals are \$6 for guests under 60 and a \$3 suggested contribution for guests 60 and older. Reservations must be made at least two days in advance.



JAPANESE LANTERN LIGHTING FESTIVAL

THE BLOOMINGTON SISTER CITY Organization will take part in the annual Japanese Lantern Lighting Festival at Como Park, 1225 Estabrook Drive, in St. Paul, Sunday, August 16, 4 p.m. to dusk. Modeled after summer festivals in Japan, this event will include cultural entertainment, family activities and Japanese food. For more information, call 952-563-8713 or visit www.bloomington-izumi.org.



EVENTS AT CREEKSIDE  
SEE A SHOW, TAKE A CLASS AND  
MAKE NEW FRIENDS!

Go to our website, click on E-Subscribe and sign up to receive Human Services e-mail updates.

THIS SUMMER AND FALL residents have a variety of fun and educational ways to experience different cultures, savor good food and enjoy lively entertainment. The following events will take place at Creekside Community Center, 9801 Penn Avenue South, unless noted in the descriptions. For more information on these activities, call Ask the City at 952-563-4957 V/TTY or visit www.ci.bloomington.mn.us, keywords: Ask the City.

AUGUST			
M	3	10 a.m.	500/Euchre Classes
M - TU	3 - 4	5 p.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
W	5	10 a.m.	Get Acquainted with Creekside
W	5	12:30 p.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
SA	8	1:30 p.m.	Euchre Tournament
W	12	12:30 p.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
TH	13	11:30 a.m.	Party of the Month
SU	16	4 p.m.	BSCO Booth at Lantern Lighting Festival
M	17	12:30 p.m.	Monday Movie Matinee
M	17	5 p.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
W	19	10 a.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
SA	22	10 a.m.	Fare For All Grocery Buying Program
TU	25	5 p.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
SEPTEMBER			
W	2	10 a.m.	Get Acquainted with Creekside
W	9	10 a.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
W	9	5 p.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
SA	12	9 a.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
M	14	10 a.m.	500/Euchre Classes
M - TU	14 - 15	5 p.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
TH	17	11:30 a.m.	Party of the Month
SA	19	10 a.m.	Fare For All Grocery Buying Program
M	21	12:30 p.m.	Monday Movie Matinee
M	21	5 p.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program
W	23	1 p.m.	Cricket and Renegades Music Show
TH	24	1 p.m.	Writers Club
TH	24	6:30 p.m.	Great Decisions – Universal Human Rights See page 1.
M	28	1 p.m.	Book Club
TU	29	12:30 p.m.	AARP Driver’s Safety Program

MARK THESE D8S  
ANNUAL EVENTS NOT TO BE MISSED

OCTOBER

- Disability Awareness Employment Month

NOVEMBER

- Veterans Wall Display

DECEMBER

- Omar Bonderud Human Rights Award Presentation  
December 7, 2009

JANUARY

- Youth Leadership Event  
January 9, 2010

MARCH

- BSCO - Taste of Japan  
March 6, 2010

MAY

- Older Americans Month
- Bloomington Sister City Organization – Kite Day  
May 1, 2010
- Diversity Day/Peace Run  
May 7, 2010

JUNE

- Global Celebration

MONDAY MOVIE MATINEE

IF YOU ENJOY MOVIES, don’t miss these free matinees. On Monday, August 17, 12:30 p.m., watch “Get Smart,” an action comedy starring Steve Carell as agent Maxwell Smart. On Monday, September 21, 12:30 p.m., see “Duplicity,” a thriller starring Julia Roberts and Clive Owen as corporate spies.



FARE FOR ALL

THE MONTHLY FARE FOR ALL Grocery Buying Program is available to anyone who wants to save 30 - 40 percent on groceries. Participants, who are encouraged to volunteer in their community, will receive discounts on groceries. Packages containing fresh fruits and vegetables, frozen meats, rice and pasta cost \$10 - \$20. A new customer may register and prepay for food packages August 22, then pick up the food September 19.

THE CRICKETS AND RENEGADES

LISTEN TO GREAT MUSIC in a great location. The Crickets and Renegades will present country and standard music, Wednesday, September 23, 1 p.m., at the Schneider Theater, 1800 West Old Shakopee Road. Tickets will be sold at the door for \$3; children under 12 will be admitted free.



WRITERS’ CLUB

EXPLORE YOUR CREATIVE SIDE by joining the Writers’ Club. The group meets monthly and gives participants the opportunity to experiment with a variety of writing styles.



BOOK CLUB

THIS NONFICTION BOOK CLUB meets monthly, September - May, and includes a featured speaker and facilitated discussion. September’s book is The Bible, The Qur’an and Science by Dr. Maurice Bucaille.